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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For (title):

SCIENTIFIC DESK SYSTEM

1. Papers Enclosed That Are Required for Filing Date under 37 CFR 1.53(b):

10 Pages of specification including claims

1_ Pages of Abstract

7 Sheets of drawing

[X] formal

informal

The enclosed drawing(s) are photograph(s), and there is also attached a "PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPH(S) AS DRAWING(S)." 37 C.F.R. 1.84(b).

- 2. Additional papers enclosed:
 - [] Preliminary Amendment

[X] Assignment to Melles Griot Limited

[X] Information Disclosure Statement (37 CFR 1.98)

[X] Form PTO-1449 [X] Citations

[] Other:



| 3. | Small Entity Status: | | Applicant claims small entity status. | [X] | Not claimed. |
|----|----------------------|-----|---------------------------------------|-----|---------------|
| 4. | Declaration or oath: | [X] | Enclosed | | Not enclosed. |
| 5. | Language: | [X] | English | | Non-English |
| | | [] | osed (37 CFR 1.52(d)). | | |

6. This application claims priority of the below listed application(s) (if any):

| Country | Application No. | Filing Date | Certified Copy Enclosed |
|---------|-----------------|----------------|----------------------------|
| UK | 0019972.9 | 14 August 2000 | Yes |
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7. The filing fee is calculated below.

| Fee Calculation | Fee | | | | |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----|-------------------|---------|--------|
| Basic fee → | \$710.00 | | | | |
| Claims* | Number filed | | Number extra Rate | | |
| Total claims | 9 | -20 | 0 | \$18.00 | \$0.00 |
| Independent claims | 1 | -3 | 0 | \$80.00 | \$0.00 |
| Multiple dependent cla | | | | | |
| | \$710.00 | | | | |
| Small entity statement | \$0.00 | | | | |
| | \$710.00 | | | | |
| Non-English language | | | | | |
| Fee for recording encl | \$40.00 | | | | |
| | \$750.00 | | | | |

^{*}After any attached preliminary amendment reducing the number of claims and/or deleting multiple dependencies.

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Respectfully submitted,

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